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### CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time. In this event, please charge Deposit Account 23-3425 the necessary extension of time fees. This document is submitted in duplicate.

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# AMENDMENT UNDER 37. CFR § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Dear Sir:

#### INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

This is in response to the outstanding Office Action of June 2, 2003, wherein pending claims 1-4, 6-11, 13-16 and 18 were rejected. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and/or remarks.

No extension of time is believed to be necessary. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account 23-3425 any fees necessary for entry of this amendment.